

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

**GEORGE D. ARNESEN; JEFFREY  
RYAN BRADLEY; KAREN BELL;  
A.P. BELL FISH COMPANY, INC.;  
and WILLIAM COPELAND**

**PLAINTIFFS**

**v.**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:23-cv-145-TBM-RPM  
*consolidated with*  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:23-cv-160-TBM-RPM**

**GINA RAIMONDO, *U.S. Secretary of  
Commerce*; NATIONAL MARINE  
FISHERIES SERVICE, (*NMFS*);  
JANET COIT, *NMFS Assistant  
Administrator*; SAMUEL D. RAUCH,  
III, *NMFS Deputy Assistant  
Administrator for Regulatory Programs*;  
GULF OF MEXICO FISHERY  
MANAGEMENT COUNCIL; *et. al.***

**DEFENDANTS**

**FINAL JUDGMENT**

For the reasons stated in the Memorandum Opinion and Order entered this same day, this  
CASE is CLOSED.

This, the 31st day of January, 2024.

  
**TAYLOR B. McNEEL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**